

Grayling High Eagles pictured above ran their win streak to 17 straight Tuesday night and the Snowland Class D Conference crown as they trounced Bellaire 62 to 34. The Eagles more conference game left but even losing the second place team can not catch up with flying Frederic team. Left to right in the photo above are: John Mertes, Lewis Johnson, Ed, Wayne Winston, Bob Pratt, Larry Baynham, Alfie Hummel, Bill Johnson and Paul Courtney Bay City Times

TO PRESENT
WYKENDALL

Long-standing easterner of the regular meeting in and it is the great good of the organization and unity that makes it possible. Lt. Lester Coyne, Michigan State safety demonstration on evening, February 25, 1957, a public relation for the State Police, led up and down the several years giving simulations in schools, P. H. Clubs, Sportsmen's all manner of local or. Although he does emphatically about 25, his dominant theme handling and Use of Fire at home, in the field or. He will lecture to the senior high school students on Monday afternoon to the parents and all citizens in the evening. The meeting will be followed by a demonstration of plain and ting with machine gun, and 45 caliber pistol, in- ick work with mirrors, an open meeting, and A. urges every interest- to see and hear this demonstration of our Michigan State Police Force.

Wakeley Given
Award Plaque

J. Wakeley, of Wakeley, Store, down river, aded a plaque by the Oil Company last week of 26 years of com- sociation with the com- Wakeley has sold Stan- ucts for a longer period than anyone else in County, having started ago in partnership with Carl Parsons at what was the Parsons and Wake- ley Station on US-27 wa. In 1939 the Wake- ley Store was built, and eley's share of the Par- Wakeley station sold to m.

man's Club

Thomas Welsh entertained ing Women's Club at the Mrs. Fred Welsh Mon- ing. An announcement e that the CARE pack- the club were sent to Italy, Yugoslavia, Hong India. a short business meeting d by President Mrs. Jack- rs. Ed Rodda introduced e. All the ladies enjoy- at the lovely materials- rating ideas presented by Harriett Nickerson of 's' in Traverse City. A ma was played and prizes "Harriett's" to Mrs. John and Mrs. T. F. Peterson. ish also received gift as Mrs. Sopko and Mrs. Rowley were guests of

Eagles Win
Number 16,
And Rating

Hold Biggest Win
Streak In State

The Frederic High Eagles battled back in the second half last Tuesday night to post their sixteenth straight basketball victory of the season without a defeat. This is the longest win streak of any cage team in the state regardless of class and apparently this victory skien finally made an impression on the state raters who at last have Frederic on the list. The Eagles won a sixth place rating with one wire service and a ninth place with the other.

The Eagles had to come from behind last Tuesday night to defeat their long time rivals, Merritt by a 60 to 39 score. Merritt took a 13 to 12 lead at the end of the first period and the Eagles eked out a 11 to 10 second quarter to leave the score knotted at 23 all at intermission. The Eagles swarmed back on the court in the second half in a fury and took the two periods of play by scores of 15 to 6 and 22 to 10 to win going away.

Coach Dick Ebert was without the services of two of his players due to classroom difficulties. The Eagles have two more conference games and by this time have played at Bellaire at Bellaire. They must yet meet Alba also. With their present top rating in the conference with 9 wins and no losses, they could lose both of these games and still tie for the conference title with Central Lake who has a present record of 7 wins and 2 losses in loop-play. Victory in either game will spell an outright tie in the Snowland Class D Conference which is in its first year. The Eagles at this point seem to be odds-on-favorites to complete an undefeated season.

Larry Baynham with 21 points paced the Eagles last Tuesday night. He was ably assisted by Wayne Winston who was also in the double figures with 16. Bob Pratt added 8, Alfie Hummel 6, Louis Johnson 6 and Bill Johnson 2. Jones with 18 was high for Merritt.

The Tuesday previous, Frederic rolled over Vanderbilt there in a non-conference game, 81 to 34. The Eagles took a commanding 22 to 10 lead in the first canto and outscored Vanderbilt heavily during the other three periods. Bob Pratt with 20, Wayne Winston 19, Bruce Welch 16 and Larry Baynham 14 all got into double figures for Frederic. John Mertes 8 and Bill and Louis Johnson with 8 each completed, the scoring for the Eagles. Rich Loshaw with 15 was high for Vanderbilt.

Gov. Williams To Speak
At EMTA Luncheon

Governor G. Mennen Williams will be the featured speaker at the final luncheon meeting of the East Michigan—Winter Sports Council scheduled for Thursday noon, February 28, at the Hotel Doherty in Clare, according to an announcement by Council President Roy Trudgeon, of Grayling. Council members from thirty eastern and central Michigan winter sports communities and ski parks along with winter sports leaders from the West Michigan Tourist Association are expected to attend the meeting. In addition to the address by Governor Williams the program will include a report on the promotional and advertising activities of the council.

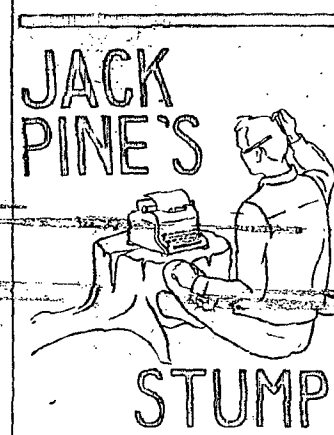
Trudgeon also said that despite two recent thaws the winter sports season in Michigan is the best on record to date. "The popularity of winter sports, especially skiing, increases every year," he said. "In fact, that fact that fourteen new ski parks were opened this year bringing Michigan's total to sixty, more than any other state in the country," he stated.

In charge of local arrangements for the meeting is Frank LaGoe, of Clare.

Heavy Damage Result
Of Two Auto Accidents

Two auto accidents over last weekend resulted in heavy property damage and the issuing of one violation ticket but no personal injury. Last Friday, a car being driven by Arvelle Armstrong, 35, of Star Route, Grayling skidded on the ice and slid into a parked car owned by Edward M. Taylor, 45, of Frederic. The accident occurred on a county road about 3 miles north of Road 812 in Maple Forest Township. Both cars were heavily damaged according to Chief Deputy Sheriff Rolla Failing who investigated.

Shortly afternoon Saturday a car driven by Joe Robinson, 30, of Gaylord was in collision with a car being driven by Hilla Jean Smith of Detroit. The collision occurred at the intersection of M-93 and M-72 west of Grayling. Sheriff John A. Papendick investigated and ticketed Robinson for failure to stop at a stop sign. Both cars suffered heavy property damage but no personal injury was reported.



Down where I live there is quite a long and steep hill. And in the winter time this hill presents quite a problem to cars not equipped for snow travel. So, in the interest of good public relations, we place barrels of sand at strategic spots for the use of those who might have trouble. We even supply a shovel. But most of the time we just help people, either by pushing or sanding the hill or ourselves. Well, one day last week there came tearing down the hill a coupe with a couple of high school kids in it. They never got out of the car, but in a few minutes took off up the hill. Not setting too far, they backed down and made another run at it, with little more progress. At one point I almost went out to help them, but I decided that if a couple of high school kids didn't have enough ambition or sense to notice and use barrels of sand, two men from the road, that wasn't about to help them. Even the Lord only helps those who help themselves! So, for 45 minutes they kept tearing up that hill until finally along came a man who wanted to come down the hill... and he spread some sand. "I couldn't get home still they got out of the road," he said, explaining his actions. He had other comments, too; you can guess what they might have been. —JP

News item: The three Conservation Commissioners who were appointed by Governor Williams in 1955 were confirmed by the State Senate last week. Their terms expire in April 1961. —JP

The Conservation Department is making all sorts of annual reports now. I have one in front of me a rather interesting one on the number of violations, fines, etc., recorded during the past year. In 1956, Conservation Officers made 1987 arrests and the total was 96% of these resulted in convictions. Violating game and fishing laws is apparently expensive, with fines exceeding \$95,000, court costs more than \$45,000. And then there were 1740 days in-jail sentences. Deer hunting violations topped the list with 347 cases, followed by fishing violations. Small game law infractions were next. I heard somewhere that many of these violations of the hunting and fishing laws are done by the same people year in and year out. There are supposed to be some people who don't get a day's salary (or laws for any laws for that matter) and who become regular artists at game law violating. Some day I would like to see just how many of these 5939 arrests were of the same people or of persons previously arrested. —JP

Every once in a while I come across an advertisement that strikes me as being honest, simple straight to the point and effective. They are so rare that I keep them in a file and on long winter nights look them over when the "cute" and ever-so-clever modern ads begin to drive me batty. However, in the current issue of Life is a Chevrolet ad that made me shudder. It showed a "sassy"... as they put it... Chevy in a mountain scene. A man and woman and child are there in their winter clothes, and so help me, there are two deer in that snowy wilderness looking at the Chevy. Not that deer don't look at Chevrolets, but one of the deer is a wee, small spotted fawn. When I think of how much money that full page in colors cost to make, to say nothing of the thousands of dollars spent to put it in Life magazine, I get the heebie-jeebies. I wonder how the expensive research and testing that goes into these ads that could allow an error of that kind to slip by un-noted. I wonder, too, how anyone who knows anything about the ways of deer can imagine a spotted fawn in the winter, as this obviously is. I wonder how these readers will react to Chevrolet and the co-vious attempt to "pretty-up" a scene to the extent that credulity is lost. In a perfumed ad, this might go, but not an ad for a steel and chrome motor of pleasure and destruction. Somebody goofed at Chevy's fancy advertising agency. —JP

I see that I won't have enough space left, to quote the honest ad I wanted to, got going on the Chevy ad... In a later column, perhaps. —JP

From the A.S.T.A. Journal comes this one. "In the old days when business was bad and jobs hard to get, they called it a 'panic' now they have all sorts of fancy names for it. For example, in a 'readjustment', your neighbor loses his job. In a 'recession' you lose your job. In a 'depression', your wife loses her job." —JP

And from Time magazine, I quote this: In Napahce, Ontario, the weekly "Beaver" advertised readers: "You may notice some typographical errors in this paper. They were put in intentionally. This paper tries to print some- thing for everyone and some people are always looking for mistakes." (I showed the above to RVS. He wasn't very impressed... said he'd been doing the same thing for years.) JACK PINE

Final Regular Home Game This Friday; Still Hold Second Place

Vikings Host Harbor Springs

The Grayling High Vikings will play the last regularly scheduled home game this Friday. Harbor Springs Rams this coming Friday. On Tuesday, the Vikings will travel to Kalkaska for a non-conference game and on Friday, March 1st will windup this year's campaign by going to East Jordan to take a fighting band of Chas. Devils.

Seven seniors will be making their last appearance on Friday night in regular home play. The group is led by co-captains Dave Lowe, and Bob Strong and includes Tony Doremire, Bill Martin Aubrey and Bob Houston. Don Campbell, Strong and Lowe have both been varsity team members and regulars for the past three years.

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Friday night, by a score of 49 to 43, Boyne City, current leaders in the loop had a fairly easy night of it Friday at Pellston as they won 81 to 64. Harbor Springs and Mancelona currently tied for third place with 11 wins and 3 losses. Both won Friday night. The Rams triumphed over East Jordan by a 51 to 37 count while the Ironmen edged out the luckless Gaylord Blue Devils 67 to 65.

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The 1956-57 version of the Charlevoix Red Raiders at Charlevoix

kind of a record last Friday night as they became the first Grayling High basketball team to ever defeat the Charlevoix Red Raiders twice in a regular season. The strong Viking team of several seasons ago defeated Charlevoix once during the season. They met them one time as Grayling was not at that time a member of the Northern Class C Conference. Charlevoix defeated the same Viking team later in the Regional tournament.

Friday night's game at Charlevoix was a nip and tuck affair with neither team ever holding more than a 3 point advantage until the final seconds. Superior rebounding and accuracy at the foul line paid off in the win for Grayling. The vaunted Red Raider full court press put on in the final minutes failed to pay off for Charlevoix as it has in the past. The press caused Grayling a few rough moments but failed

completely from upsetting them as it had in past seasons. The Vikings jumped off to a 12 to 8 first quarter lead but the Raiders came back in the second period to score 14 to Grayling's 11 to leave the Vikings with a slim 23 to 22 lead. Grayling included the first three quarters in the field goal scored in the first second of the first half. Ken Balch, Charlevoix forward fired a wild shot from midcourt as the clock turned white. The ball hit the backboard but missed the basket. Grayling's Bob Strong in attempt to retrieve the ball hit the basket rim and was called for goal tending and the basket was allowed for Charlevoix. In the third period, the host team outscored the Vikings 14 to 12 to take a 36 to 35 lead to start the final quarter of play. The lead changed hands many times in the final period until the score was tied with two minutes to go. In the final two minutes, Don Roberts sank two free throws cleanly for Grayling and Dave Lowe stepped to the foul line twice for Grayling. On both occasions, Lowe missed but on one, Strong tipped in a field goal and on the other Bill Martin rapped one in to give Grayling their final victory margin of 49 to 43.

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The little Vikings went down to a 31 to 30 defeat at the hands of the little Raiders in the night's opening contest. The Charlevoix reserves took a 12 to 7 lead in the first period of play and outscored the little Vikings in every period. The halftime score was 24 to 16 in favor of the little Raiders.

New Alton with 10 was high for Grayling with Oscar Horning adding 9, Jim Kessler 6, Don Leslie 4 and Curt Smith a foul shot. Supernaw with 20 was tops for the Charlevoix reserves. The pattern of the game is shown by the scoring. Grayling made their total on 8 field goals and 14 out of 31 free throws. The little Red Raiders made 21 field goals and 7 out of 17 free throws.

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Winter Sports
Still Booming

The winter sports picture in and around Grayling was still a big one this past weekend. The Grayling Winter Sports Park had a real large crowd as did Skyline, Lovells Winter Playland and Lake Vasey Resort.

Skiing was reported "excellent" at all areas as a soft and fine fall of new snow covered the heavily built up base. Skating and tobogganing was also very good at the Grayling Park.

Helping to add to the crowd at the Grayling Park were two groups. A 150 strong group from Grayling High School number- ing well over 150 spent the week- end here. They arrived Saturday morning and after spending the day at the park, were served dinner at the Michelson Memorial church by ladies of the church's circles. Later in the evening, the entire group was taken on a "snow-ski" which wound up at Lake Valley Resort where the teen age ski building was turned over to them for an evening of dancing. The evening was completed with a repeat of hot dogs, doughnuts and coffee before they were returned to Grayling to spend the night at the hotel. They had their Sunday meal at the Grayling Legion Building where the ladies of the Legion Auxiliary served them. They returned to Detroit late Sunday after expressing their thanks for a wonderful weekend. Here on Sunday, a group of 30 Bay Scouts from Crosswell for a day of winter sports.

With an official government thirty day forecast of colder than usual weather and a heavier than usual snow fall, it is expected that winter sports in the Grayling area will continue at top speed for at least four or five more weekends.

Red Cross
Ready For A
Disaster

It could happen here — at any time! What if a tornado, flash flood or fire swept Crawford County tomorrow, leaving in its wake scores of dead and injured and homes and stores destroyed and damaged? Where would the injured be cared for? Where would extra doctors, nurses and medicines be obtained quickly? Where would shelters be set up to care for the homeless? Who would help those who suffered in the disaster return to a normal way of life? The answer to all these questions can be found at one place — the offices of the Crawford County Red Cross Chapter.

Floyd A. Davis, chairman of the Chapter's Disaster Committee, said the Red Cross is charged by Congressional Charter with the care of individuals and families in disasters. He explained the adequate supplies are immediately available to the chapter for meeting emergencies. He (Continued on Page 8)

BOWHUNTERS
ELECT OFFICERS

The Grayling Bowhunters met Monday evening at the High School gym to elect new officers for the coming year. Elected were President, Bob Smock, Vice-president, Marion Fox, Secretary and Treasurer, Henry Sherry. On the Board of Directors, those named were Mickey Hatfield, Al Dasein, and Charles Kroll. Floyd Young was named Publicity Director.

The Bowhunters plan to meet regularly on the first Monday of each month, at the Grayling gym. Visitors will be cordially welcomed.

Caucus Named
Grayling Twp.
Nominees Monday

Nearly 100 voters attended the caucus at the Gravel Township Hall to name nominees for township office for the coming spring election on Monday evening. Harold Clements was elected as chairman of the caucus with Harvey Rowland as secretary and Lawrence Hunter, Neil Olson, Bruce Nielson and Claude Halstead as tellers.

Nominated for another term were: Supervisor John McMillan, Clerk Dan C. Babbitt, Treasurer Eureka Stephan, Trustee Herbert Wolff for a 4 year term and Trustee Earl Mathewson for a 2 year term. Also nominated were: Commissioner, Bernard Fowler as member of the Board of Review, John Peterson for Justice of the Peace and for Constables Wellman Vallad, Lacey Stephan, Duane Sloan and Carl Leslie. Leslie is now serving as constable.

The caucus voted to nominate four constables as allowed by law rather than two as has been done in the past. The voters attending decided that it would be a good thing to have two constables in each end of the township and although the nominations were made at large, the outcome of the voting did place two constables in each of the west and the east ends of the township.

Plan Polio
Clinic Monday

The District Health Department will hold a polio vaccine clinic at the Grayling High School on Monday, February 25, from 9 to 11:30 a. m., in the Activity Room. The Department will give second and third doses to children who have had shots in July of 1956, from age one through fourteen. Pre-school children who have not had their shots may get their first one by presenting a consent slip signed by their parents. Any who have received the first or second shot while in other communities should also attend the clinic to enable the records of the local officials to be made current and to receive any shots now due.

The clinic is for all children one through fourteen, who live in Grayling County, not just for Grayling children alone. The shots will be administered at this clinic by Dr. Paul Dosch of Grayling, as a public service. Volunteer aids who will assist in handling the large group and assist in preparation of records will be headed by Mrs. John H. Peterson.

Kiwanis Club
notes

Elaine Goss, Grayling Queen of 1957 and her court of Bethany Koerber, Kay Ann Parkinson, Mickey Mikeseit and Barbara Cornell were guests of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling at their Monday night meeting held at the Shoppenagons Inn. The Queen and her court were introduced by Robert Boyce, chairman of the club's boys and girls committee.

It was announced that the speaker at next week's meeting of the club would be Paul Schreiber of the Dow-Corning Corporation who will speak on silicones and the part they are playing in modern industry. Mr. Schreiber will also show movies dealing with the silicones and the many uses to which they are put by industry, commerce and in the home.

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Ski Meet To Be
This Saturday

Last Saturday's State competition for High School ski teams at Sugar Loaf Mountain, Glen Arbor, was postponed to Saturday, February 23rd, because of unsuitable skiing conditions. If the meet has to be canceled on that date, it will not be held.

Hearty Fisherman

Ice fishermen, probably the heartiest of anglers, are getting plenty of sport on Michigan lakes—with tasty fish dinners as an added reward. Sparing seasons end February 28, but hook and line enthusiasts will be active as long as ice conditions remain safe.

Lansing — Michigan ice fishermen, equipped with tip-ups, handlines, or spears are enjoying their winter sport on hundreds of lakes throughout the state.



Our Weather

(Courtesy Fish Hatchery)

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What Happens To A Town When A Major Highway Is Diverted

By Elmer E. White
What Happens To A Town when a major highway is routed around its limits instead of running "down the main street?"

This question will be raised with increasing frequency during the next three years when some 800 miles of new multiple-lane, divided highways are constructed across Michigan.

"Limited access" highways will form a large part of this construction program outlined last week by Highway Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler. These roads offer unequalled safety with divided multiple lanes, a controlled number of entrances, and bypasses around many towns and cities.

But merchants and villages depending on transients for much of their business are already beginning to voice fears that a bypass would endanger their economic structure.

Fears may be unfounded. While Michigan's limited access highway program is still in its infancy (there are 189 miles of fully limited or controlled highways in the state), other areas have made ex-

haustive studies on towns bypassed by major routes. A survey made by the United States Chamber of Commerce suggests a town is improved in every way by having a highway routed around it rather than down the main street. Reports from California and Texas confirm the results.

Highway Department experts point out that no new businesses can be built along roads having limited access. Motorists must turn off at some point to eat, find lodging and purchase gasoline.

An example of the added boom to business recently occurred in Sturgis when the Indiana Turnpike opened just south of the Michigan state line. According to officials, even though Sturgis was four miles away from the turnpike, motel and hotel business increased 25% from persons who had to drive off the main highway to find lodging for the night.

Other advantages accrue to the bypassed town. The reduction of motorists and trucks who are just "driving through" should eliminate many accidents. The "home town" folks find they can once again go shopping without facing congested traffic and the long hunt for a parking place.

The picture isn't completely glowing. Severely bypassed and report differing experiences. On the one hand Parma lost 25% of its business when a highway bypassed it two years ago. In the other, Chelsea, bypassed some nine years ago, grew beyond the most optimistic hopes.

The biggest factor seems to be adjusting to the new situation. Planning ahead can ease the "shock" that accompanies any sudden change.

For example, in Chelsea merchants worked as a group. "We decided we had to become as efficient as the new highway," says Chelsea president Anton Nelson. "Everybody decorated their restaurants and stores. Then when we were looking for our best, we spent \$1,600 a piece for two big signs out on the highway. We told people how to find us and what they would find."

Learning through experience, the residents of Parma now have a Community Improvement Group. To back up their plans they have the friendly advice of the Consumers Power Community Development Department headed by James Coats.

The highway of the future will probably bypass many towns. Experts advise: if it's your town, the time to start planning is now.

Michigan's One-Man Grand Jury may come in for some close scrutiny from the present state legislature, slated to open next month.

The Department has issued a warning to all owners of property such as is outlined above, to file the necessary return forms prior to March 31. The Revenue Department is constantly engaged in checking stockholders' lists, mortgage records, income tax returns and other data for the purpose of discovering evasions of the Intangible Tax Act. Failure to file a return when a tax is due subjects the taxpayer to severe penalties.

In addition to assisting taxpayers in the preparation of their returns, Mr. Morris will also be glad to advise any person concerning his liability, if any, under the Intangible Tax Act.

Those desiring this advice or assistance are requested to bring with them full information concerning their holdings, including the face or par value, and income received therefrom during the year, and copy of the previous year's return filed with the Department.

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of the controversial statute vesting grand jury power in one man.

Attorney General Thomas M. Kavanagh. "The system itself is contrary to the original principles of justice in this country," Kavanagh recently told the state legislature. "It concentrates in a single judge more power than was intended when we turned to English common law and the Bill of Rights as a foundation for our system."

Primary purpose of any grand jury is to obtain evidence and testimony that cannot be compiled under normal courtroom procedures.

The key to success lies in the power to grant immunity against prosecution to persons who testify. In many instances when it is hard to obtain evidence, a grand jury is the only means of reaching it.

Kavanagh suggests that the immunity power be vested in the multiple-man grand jury. He hopes that a system patterned after federal court procedure can be worked out for the particular case.

Kavanagh stresses that he is not critical of grand jurors now sitting to hear cases in Wayne and Macomb Counties. Abuses were abundant in the past, but he asserts that present judges are working "skillfully and impartially."

"It's the system that is wrong," he explains.

OFFERS ASSISTANCE ON INTANGIBLE TAX

Mr. Lewis Morris, representing the Michigan Department of Revenue is available, by appointment, for the purpose of assisting taxpayers in the preparation of their intangibles tax returns due not later than March 31. Write Box 232 Grayling, Phone 5721.

Intangible personal property subject to the tax includes all mortgages, land contracts, bank accounts, cash, postal savings accounts, accounts and notes receivable, corporate stocks, corporate bonds and other similar types of property.

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The Department has issued a warning to all owners of property such as is outlined above, to file the necessary return forms prior to March 31. The Revenue Department is constantly engaged in checking stockholders' lists, mortgage records, income tax returns and other data for the purpose of discovering evasions of the Intangible Tax Act. Failure to file a return when a tax is due subjects the taxpayer to severe penalties.

In addition to assisting taxpayers in the preparation of their returns, Mr. Morris will also be glad to advise any person concerning his liability, if any, under the Intangible Tax Act.

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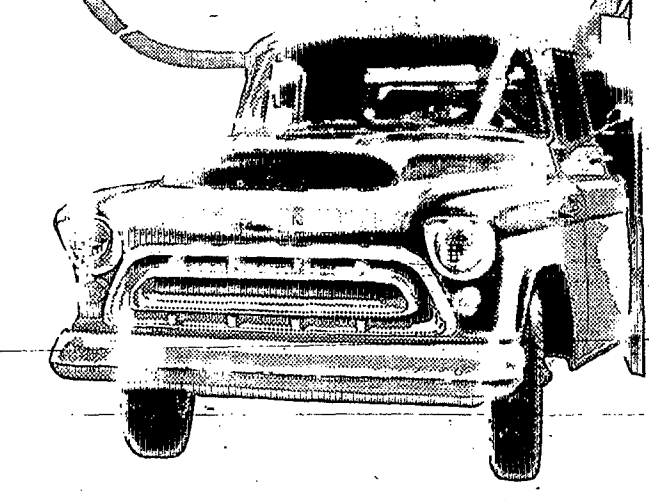
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If Your Taxes Have Been Paid Your Land Cannot Be Sold In The May 1st Tax Sale.

IF YOU HAVE NOT PAID YOUR TAXES AND YOUR LAND IS LISTED FOR SALE, YOU MAY PAY AT ANY TIME UP UNTIL MONDAY, APRIL 30th.

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But when the votes were totaled, the segments to which political managers had divided our people were found non-existent. It was those who said that Candidate Eisenhower would lose all the Jewish vote, because he had sided up to the embattled forces of new Israel. He scored heavily in New York's Jewish sections. He and the Democrats would get the Irish and the vote for a variety of reasons — one that like Presbyterian, and that some bigots preferred a vote to no church to a confessed Protestant. But like Massachusetts with its heavy Irish and Italian population. And so it went. Study of the vote shows that there was a minimum of voting by ethnic, color, or religious groups. That is as it should be in America. However, that isn't all. That is as it should be about the world. We are observing Brotherhood Week, but it isn't that you treat your neighbor decently and respectfully. It is the dignity of the folks of different color who live in the street. The world is to attain that goal which it so sorely needs — peace for all peoples — it can be attained only by the spirit of brotherhood. What is the spirit of brotherhood? Its essence is a respect for the rights and the needs of others, whether among individuals or nations. When the time comes that the unpredictable men of the Kremlin yield to the philosophy that every man every nation is entitled to go his own way so long as his rights and opinions of others are not infringed, we may welcome true brotherhood. In truth, we may keep the promise of Tennessee, "Ring in the thousand years of peace." The key to it all is in the occasion we now mark as Brotherhood Week. * * * * * Is Your "Housepower"? Americans have an amazing amount of mechanical power at our command, to use at work and at home. Take one obvious example, today's automobiles use huge amounts of horsepower under their hoods — indeed, than many think desirable. But there is one area — and a highly important one — in which tens of millions of people just don't have enough power for today's requirements. It is called "housepower". That word covers the adequacy or lack of your electrical wiring, outlets and switches. The "housepower" problem is a big one. It is estimated that more than 20,000,000 homes need modernization of wiring. And that figure is not just made up of older ones. A great many homes of recent construction are seriously short of electrical capacity. There are certain definite signs to tell you if you are one of the millions who need more "housepower". If fuses frequently blow, or your electrical appliances are slow to heat, or lights flicker, or the picture on the TV screen shrinks, you're putting more load on your home electrical system than is safe and proper. The reason for the "housepower" problem, of course, is that we Americans want more and more labor saving and other electrical appliances. A determined effort is now underway to persuade the American homeowner to bring his "housepower" up to par if it isn't there now. We can make no better investment — in comfort, convenience and safety. A new long wheelbase Chevrolet truck to Len Isenbauer. Ted Wheeler is assisting Gordon Pond with delivering for the Niederer Coal Company while Mr. Niederer is busy on his ice cutting job. Marius Hanson, who is attending Ferris Institute, in Big Rapids, arrived home yesterday to spend the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Hanson. George VanBatten left Tuesday to spend two weeks visiting friends in Grand Rapids, Lansing, Ann Arbor and Detroit. He accompanied Neil Corwin and Chris Roedel as far as Lansing. There will be a mass meeting at the club rooms over the Hanson Hardware Wednesday night, Feb. 24th, to discuss the contemplated Homecoming. Everybody should be there to express their opinions pro and con. You may have an idea that will be good. Be there. Mrs. Nelson Corwin was hostess Wednesday afternoon at a silver tea at her home. This was the first of a series of teas that are being given for the benefit of the Women's Home Missionary society during the Lenten season. Next Wednesday Mrs. E. N. Darveau will entertain. Wilhelm Rie returned to Graying last Saturday from Portland, Oregon where he has been since last summer in the interest of a lumber company. He said that the first snow he saw was when he got to West Branch. Well, he missed a lot, and is probably glad of it. His friends are glad to welcome him back. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Poor and Coach Willard Cornell with Tom Welsh, George Hanson, Leo Love, Clyde Borchers, Don Gothro, Jerome Brady, Edwin Chalkley, Bill Joseph, Emil Kraus and Liwyn Doremire motored to Alma Wednesday to witness a basketball game between Alma and Olivet. Alma won the game. Mrs. Ernest Larson and Mrs. Milo Endricks were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Larson, for the pleasure of Miss Dorothy May who is to be a bride of next month. Hearts were played, Miss Clarice Welch winning first prize and Mrs. Edwin Carlson second. A delicious lunch was served. Miss May received many lovely gifts. Miss Mildred McWilliams, having completed her special duty at Mercy Hospital, returned to her home in Roscommon Monday. Miss Anne Brady, who is attending Jackson Business school, spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brady. A few friends dropped in on Mrs. A. E. Hendrickson last Thursday evening to remind her it was her birthday anniversary. Mrs. Oscar Borchers entertained at a stork shower at her home Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Roy McEvers. There were about 30 present. Mrs. Roy Milnes was hostess to her Bridge Club at a very pleasant luncheon Saturday afternoon. Three tables were in play following the luncheon. Mrs. Emil Giegling held the high score. Guests included Mrs. George Olson, Mrs. Robert Reagan, Mrs. Holger Peterson and Miss Ella Hanson. Mrs. George Burke was hostess to several ladies at her home Monday afternoon. The occasion was her birthday. Wednesday evening Mrs. Carl Sorenson, Mrs. N. Schlotz and Mrs. Earl Dawson were hostesses at a benefit pinocchle party in the Fischer Building. Admission was twenty-five cents per person and the proceeds went to the Eastern Stars. A. J. Nelson and Mrs. Hans Petersen won first prizes while OLLIC OFFICE MACHINES SALES & SERVICE Underwood Typewriters Adding Machines RC Allen Cash Registers Safes — Filing Cabinets FRANK OLLIC 219 West First Street Ph. 5451 Gaylord SEE — Jack Winklin For — Septic Tanks SALES AND SERVICE Any size. Grassy Traps, Dry Wells, Tile Fields. 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FOR SALE—Home at 504 Michigan Ave. Anyone interested, write to Mrs. Holger Schmidt, 814 Hazelwood Ave., Detroit. Mich. 7-14-21

FOR SALE—Large home on large lot: 30 in. Lenox furnace; quantity of used doors and windows; '52 Chevrolet taxi cab and business; '41 Chev. pick up; '41 Chev. coupe; '48 Dodge, 4-door. F. P. Decker, Phone 4101. 15-22 ft.

HAVE YOUR SKATES SHARPENED—By an expert. Egge Eddy, 300 Spruce St. 14-21

FOR SALE—Choice residential lots for sale in Karen Woods Subdivision. Front on Paved road. Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Block 1. Welsh Motor Sales. 2-14-17

WANTED—Pulpwood cutters with or without skidding equipment. M. L. Legg & Sons, Roscommon, Mich. Phone Crestwood 55238. 14-21

SICKNESS MAKES AVAILABLE Crawford and Roscommon Counties Rawleigh business. Good opportunity to continue established service. See or write Wm. Meyer, RR 1, Roscommon, or write Rawleigh's, Dept. MCB, 280-203, Freeport, Ill. 14-21-28-7

BABYSITTING WANTED—Mrs. Lloyd Berry, phone 3857. 21

FOR SALE—One 5-room oil space heater. Arthur Williams, Roscommon, phone VA 16413. 21

PERSONALIZED Guest Towels Match Folders Coasters Napkins One Week Delivery Perfect For Those "Special Occasions" SEE OUR SAMPLES CRAWFORD COUNTY AVALANCHE 223 Michigan Ave. Phone 3111 or 5331

UNFURNISHED HOUSE FOR SALE—300 Park St. Four bedrooms, oil heat, electric hot water heater. Phone 3871. 21-28

FOR SALE—45 ft., '56 Great Lake house trailer, 2 bedrooms, partly furnished. Used since July. W. C. Miller, City Trailer Park. 21-28-7

FOR RENT—FURNISHED modern apartment Mrs. Tom Wells. Phone 3787. 2-7 ft.

WANTED—Cast Iron \$30.00-36.00; Steel \$24.00-32.00; Body Tin and Wire \$14.00-18.00. All prices per net ton, subject to our grading, delivered over yard during February. East Jordan Auto Parts, Lenox 6-2322 East Jordan, Mich. 21

JOHN AVON—Women without a car can earn as much as \$50 weekly by working convenient hours near home servicing Avon customers. Write Louise Best, Mgr., Traverse City. 21

SALESMAN WANTED—For Grayling and surrounding area. Direct selling experience helpful but not necessary. Leads furnished. Liberal commissions. Must have car. For further information write Mr. Lynn, c/o Singer Sewing Machine Co., 124 E. Front, Traverse City, Mich. 21-28

GUARANTEED WILKIN Hosiery, as advertised in March Glamour, now available through Agnes Hanson. For information and orders call 4481 evenings. 21-28-7

SPECIAL SALE OF BABY PARK-ARETS \$1.98 to \$3.50. New cakes, \$3.98. All seeds and supplies. Edna Trudeau, Lake Margrethe. 14-21

IF YOU HAVE LOOKED IN vain for a house to rent—if you are thinking of your future—Make Your Home A Mobile Home. See our display of new and used trailers. We have one to fit your needs. Free delivery—E-Z terms. Blair Trailer Sales, Junction M-46 & US-27, St. Louis, Mich. 14-21

FRESH SWEET CIDER—Northern Spy, McIntosh and Red Delicious apples. Cull apples for deer, 25c bu. King's Orchards, Houghton Lake Village. 14-21

WE ARE FULLY EQUIPPED to clean your rugs and carpets on your floor. Call Bob Kohn, phone 4312 for price list. 21-28

FOR SALE—International 100, '55 tractor, loader, used 200 hrs. Price \$1,200. Fred Baumgartner, 7 mi. So. on M-76. Shady Pine Motel. 21-7

NOTICE Any citizens of Beaver Creek Township who may wish to serve on the election board are hereby notified that applications are now available through the office of the Township Clerk, John LaMotte, Clerk, Beaver Creek Township

Board of Review Notice Maple Forest Board of Review will meet March 5th and 11th at the Township Hall, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Arno Plagens Supervisor 21-28

Road Commissioners Minutes January 18, 1957 A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners was held in their office in Grayling. The meeting was called to order by Comm. Johnson, Chairman. Members present, Comm. Johnson, Corsaut, Richmond and Engr. Supt. Hull. Absent, none.

Minutes of last regular and special communications read and approved. Voucher No. 2816 covering Payroll No. 2 and Voucher No. 2817 to 2857 covering materials presented to the Board for approval. Motion by Comm. Richmond supported by Comm. Corsaut that Voucher No. 2816 to 2853 be allowed and warrants ordered drawn for their respective amounts. All voting in favor, motion carried.

Payroll No. 2 \$6,348.80 Jack Bauman, Mac Tools 8.00 E. R. Burns 1.34 Cadillac Overall Supply 21.60 Chelsea Products, Inc. 12.38 Consolidated Office Supply Company 19.61 Cornell Agency 52.50 Corwin Auto Sales 46.41 Del's Auto Supply 66.85 Detroit Ball Bearing Co. 9.43 Del's Equip. Co. 53.02 Fleet Forms 52.78 Fochtman Motor Co., Inc. 52.78 Foxie's Sheet Metal 4.88 Mrs. Beryl Moore, Sec'y. 6.00 Grayling Laundry & Dry Cleaners 4.85 Grayling Lumber & Supply Company 24.73 International Business Mach. Corporation 8.00 International Harvester Co. 15.38 Johnson Heating & Oil Co. 666.56 Kitchman Brothers Co. 7.20 The Lowry Company 73.17 McEvers Motor Sales 58.58 Northern Supply Co. 107.08 Peterson Hardware Co. 3.52 Ron's Hardware 5.66 Russell Electric Co. 7.25 Scientific Brake and Equipment Co. 99.12 R. V. Seaman Co. 3.95 Short Freight Lines 31.80 Standard Oil Co. 18.14 Steadman, Brown 40.71 Tufts Dist. Co., Inc. 423.98 Union Office Supply 681.20 Valley GMC Sales 20.85 Welsh Motor Sales 2.10 Bill Schanahala, Young Oil Company, appeared before the Board in the interest of Road Equipment. The Commissioners accompanied by Engr. Supt. Hull made a trip of inspection over Grayling and Beaver Creek Townships Roads.

After returning to their office a motion was made and supported to adjourn. Motion carried, meeting adjourned.

HAROLD T. JOHNSON Chairman

UHARLEY RUSSELL Clerk

January 25, 1957 A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling. Meeting called to order by Comm. Johnson, Chairman. Members present, Comm. Johnson, Corsaut, Richmond and Engr. Supt. Hull. Absent, none. Voucher No. 2854 covering Payroll 3 presented to the Board for their approval. Motion by Comm. Corsaut supported by Comm. Richmond, that Voucher No. 2854 be approved and a warrant ordered for the amount. All voting in favor, motion carried.

Payroll No. 3 \$5,670.19 The Commissioners accompanied by Engr. Supt. Hull made a trip of inspection over Grayling, Maple Forest and Lovells Township roads.

After returning to their office a motion was made and supported to adjourn. Motion carried, meeting adjourned.

HAROLD T. JOHNSON Chairman

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January 28, 1957 A special meeting of the Crawford County Road Commissioners for the purpose of attending the American Road Builders Association meeting and Road Equipment Exhibit held in Chicago on January 29 through February 2nd 1957. Those attending were Commissioners Johnson, Corsaut, Richmond, Engr. Supt. Hull and Secretary Russell.

HAROLD T. JOHNSON Chairman

UHARLEY RUSSELL Clerk

LEGAL NOTICES MICHIGAN STATE OIL AND GAS LEASES

Leases of state owned oil and gas rights will be offered at public auction beginning on Thursday March 21, 1957, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, in the Stevens T. Mason Building, 500 W. Michigan, Lansing, Michigan, Room 133, and continuing until all descriptions have been offered.

300 acres in T 3 N, Rs 13 and 14 W, Allegan County, 360 acres in T 29 N, Rs 7 and 8 W, Antrim County, 514 acres in T 20 N, R 3 E, Arenac County, 1,720 acres in T 21 N, R 1 W, Crawford County, 1,205 acres in Ts 14 and 15 N, R 3 W, Isabella County, 1,786 acres in T 28 N, Rs 7 and 8 W, Ingham County, 3,518 acres in T 19 N, Rs 13 and 14 W, Lake County, 154 acres in T 1 N, R 5 E, Livingston County, 40 acres in T 17 N, R 15 W, Mason County, 80 acres in T 14 N, R 8 W, 80 acres in T 16 N, Rs 15 and 16 W, Oceana County, 720 acres in T 22 N, R 3 E, Ogemaw County, 518 acres in Ts 17 and 18, N, R 9 W, Osceola County, 1,003 acres in T 22 N, R 2 W, 80 acres in T 24 N, R 4 W, Roscommon County, 756 acres in T 10 and 11 N, R 3 E, Saginaw County.

Specific descriptions and further particulars upon request. Department of Conservation Lands Division 21-28

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Crawford In the Matter of the Estate of Elizabeth Fuller, Deceased.

At session of said Court, held on the 13th day of February A. D. 1957.

Present, Honorable Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said Court; and that the legal heirs of said deceased be entitled to certify the claims which said deceased died seized should be adjudicated and determined.

It is Ordered, That all of the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims in writing under oath as provided by statute, to said Court at said Probate Office, and to serve a copy thereof either by registered mail or by personal service upon Rhea Ann Dunham, the fiduciary of said estate, at her address in Grayling, Michigan, on or before the 30th day of April A. D. 1957, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased, and for the adjudication and determination of the heir at law of said deceased at the time of his death entitled to inherit the estate of which the deceased died seized.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Beulah Neafie Judge of Probate

A true copy: Beulah Neafie Judge of Probate 21-28-7

Lake Margrethe Water Level

Information furnished by U. S. Geological Survey: Period of record, Nov. 12, 1942 to date:

Water level Feb. 14, '57 1133.89 ft. Water level Feb. 14, '56 1134.26 ft. Maximum level for period of record April 5, '43 1135.39 ft. Minimum level for period of record Sept. 24-27, '48 1133.57 ft.

WHEN IN NEED OF PRINTING OF ANY KIND — PHONE 3111

CARD OF THANKS I would like to thank Drs. Henry and Rodda, and the nurses and Sisters on the second floor, for their kindness and care during my illness, and especially Dr. Joseph Sakowski for his cheer and humor, also my friends for their many cards and flowers.

Mrs. Kenneth Ashton

PLEASE If anyone

—Elopes —Dies —Gets Married —Has Guests —Goes Away —Comes Back —Gets a Degree —Has a Party —Has a Baby —Has a Fire —Has an Operation

—Is Ill —Buys a Home —Has an Accident —Wins a Prize —Builds a House —Makes a Speech —Holds a Meeting —Becomes a Student —Shoots His Employer —Or takes part in any other unusual event.

That's News We Want It

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Bear Lake News By Ed D. the Moving Reporter

We had three or four inches of fresh snow over the weekend, and quite a few people up. From Pontiac came Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wier, Mr. and Mrs. Art Oxley, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Batzloff to spend the weekend at their cabins on Cub Lake. They did a little fishing but they did not have too much luck. Owen even went so far as to use a false tooth for bait.

The Purveys from Pontiac and the Nummers from Detroit were up to their cabin on Bear Lake. Earl D. took them fishing over on Round Lake and still not many fish.

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Earl Gibson and a friend spent the weekend at the Gibson cabin. They reported a nice mess of Blue Gills from Lake Margrethe. That takes care of the fishing, no rabbit report this past week.

Mrs. Marion L. Loeke, niece of Betty Lifford with her husband and a party of six were up to ski, all from Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fisher and daughter Cathy have moved in next door in the George Burke house. We all say welcome new neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold came up to spend a weekend at their hut in the hills on the ski road. "Jo" decided to stay the week.

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St. Francis Episcopal Mission Some forty members of the St. Francis Episcopal Mission met at the home of Mrs. Carl W. last Sunday for a social service, to enjoy a potluck.

After the dinner the parish meeting was presided by the Rev. Stanley R. first called on by the Rev. Stanley R. to give the report of the financial report of the Diocesan convention, which was held in Detroit last week.

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Memorial

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Four Nights for God held on last week, 33 were made. On a scale the calling on the Lenten season for instruction in membership will be an every person inter-church membership is all in one or another scale. The invitation is specially to many, they are not ad- vanced about the or- ganization of the church. The church mem- bership is a long-cherished hope that the missionary family would be here to attend a regular Br- igade meeting, the children were still able to meet and talk to them, and saw a series of colored slides of the mission field, the buildings and people, including children to whom they had sent toys last year. Now they have learned of other ways in which they can help, and are already looking forward to another visit with them when they return to Michigan again.

It has been estimated that there are anywhere from 20,000 to 40,000 different species of fishes in the world.

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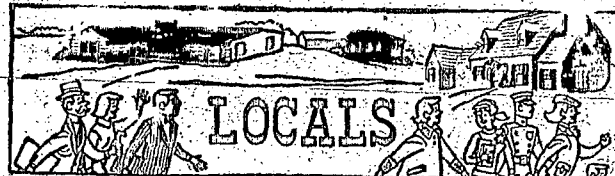
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LOCALS

Mrs. K. K. Kitchen, Mrs. W. J. Herle and Mrs. Wilfred Laurant were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Mallinger Sunday, at the Higgins Lake Lakeside Resort.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collen had as their weekend guests their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collen, Sr., of Detroit, who came to see a brother, George Collen, at Mercy Hospital. Guests of the Sam Collen, Jr., last Thursday, were Mrs. Max Allen of Clare, and Mrs. Phil Foell of Gladwin. Sunday a week ago the Collens drove to Clare, where they called on Mr. and Mrs. George Winn, Mrs. Collen's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hunter attended the 73rd annual convention of the Michigan Allied Dairy Association Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, held at the Paulton Hotel in Grand Rapids. Some of the features programmed were the annual dairy boosters rally, an ice cream breakfast, and ice cream sampling clinic. On Thursday the Hunters visited friends and relatives in Flint.

New spring hats and purses have just arrived at the Pink Lady. See them today.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watkins (Patricia Mallinger) are the parents of a daughter, Elizabeth Kay, born to them on February 10, 1957, in Ann Arbor. Mr. and Mrs. John Mallinger of Higgins Lake are the happy grandparents.

Leo Lovely drove to Nazareth Sunday, to escort his daughter Julie to the Mardi Gras dance, a father and daughter affair held each year at the Nazareth Academy which Julie attends.

Miss Sally Jo Smith accompanied Bob Feldhauser home from Mrs. Pleasant to spend the weekend with her parents, the Clyde Smiths, returning to CMC Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Conter spent the weekend in Flint, where they visited their sons Emory, Alvin, Walt and their families. They also visited Bert's sister in Auburn, and daughter, the Ernest Lovelys, and Mrs. Paul Lovely, who is visiting her son.

Several members of Our Gang met at Mrs. Frank Serven's home Wednesday of last week, to quilt on a quilt made by different members. They enjoyed a potluck dinner at noon.

Get your diamond reset in a beautiful new mounting while you wait at Davis Jewelry. Mrs. Herbert Wolff and Mrs. Janet Fallon left Sunday for Fort Wayne, Indiana, where they expect to spend this week visiting their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Morris.

Mike Orr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Orr of Traverse City, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hasmussen, was one of the runners-up in the Pee Wee ski meet at Roscommon last Sunday, in the six to nine-year old group.

Mrs. William MacLeod surprised her mother Monday when she baked a birthday cake and brought a group of friends to Mrs. A. L. Roberts' home for birthday good wishes and a celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson, Mrs. Phil Smith and son Steve left Wednesday morning to drive to Port Lee, Va., where they will be guests of Capt. Phil Smith. The Larsons will stay for the weekend before driving back.

Mrs. Smith and Steve plan on a longer stay, and will drive their own car back later.

For television repair and antenna service, call the Grayling Stamply at Dick's Sport Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Stephan drove to Traverse City Sunday. On Monday morning, February 18, their daughter Mrs. Steve Hanna presented her husband with a daughter to be known as Sherrie Michelle. Little Sherrie weighed 8 lbs. 11 oz. on arrival.

Her paternal grandmother is Mrs. Ralph Hanna. Mr. and Mrs. Stephan returned home Monday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Babbitt spent several days last week visiting friends and relatives at Mikado, they visited Mr. and Mrs. James McGuire, in Harrisville, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Yokum, in Mio the Bill Evans, at Houghton, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Espia Barber, and Fred Barber at Roscommon.

The Rev. and Mrs. Donald Healey were in Roscommon Tuesday of last week to attend a meeting of the Free Methodist ministers and their wives in the afternoon, and for laymen in the evening. Supper was served to them at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Edison Cummings of the Roscommon church.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Ashton of Saginaw spent the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gross, daughter Carole, and Grandmother Gross, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ashton. The Ashton's two-and-one-half year old son Dale had been a guest at the Gross home last week. He accompanied his parents home Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Melroy of Saginaw spent the weekend enjoying Grayling winter sports. The Birthday Club met last Friday at the home of Mrs. Rolia Failing to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Clayton Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick and Mrs. Frank May and Debbie spent Sunday in Lansing, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor Papendick and son Michael. Mrs. Elroy Barber, who had spent last week with Victor and his wife, accompanied them back. They all stopped at Ashley enroute home to call on Gene's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Papendick.

The Q. C. Club met Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Gino Failing in Gaylord. Mrs. Gino's Roberts and Howard Bunker won the door prizes.

Mrs. David Smith of North Branch writes that her mother, Mrs. Ella Sammons, is still confined at the Rest Haven Convalescent Home. Their son Wesley Ardel Smith, was home recently for a weekend vacation from MSU at East Lansing.

Miss Kay Ellen Pettengill was home with her parents, the Dale Pettengills, for the weekend. Mrs. Pettengill, Mrs. Don Gottho and daughter Mary Ann drove Kay Ellen back to Lansing Sunday afternoon, and remained until Wednesday. Mrs. Pettengill with her daughter, and the Gotthos with a sister Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin and family.

Charles Moore and John Alef drove to Bay City, Feb. 10th to meet the former's sister, Mrs. Lee Mercer of Port Huron, who spent last week visiting the Moores. She left Sunday for Cheboygan to visit another sister, Mrs. Elyar, for a while.

At the housewarming for Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Overly (Yvonne LaGrow) at Allen Park Saturday night, about 40 friends and relatives were present. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Wm. LaGrow and Mrs. F. J. McClain, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClain and sons Gary and John of Grand Rapids were also present. A gift of lawn furniture

Cathy Ann, at Manistee, February 10th.

Don Feldhauser, who has been home from Bay City since January 14th, is now manager at the Winter Sports Park.

Guests of the Jack Fowlers last week were Mrs. Fowlers' sister, Mrs. John Rautio and baby of Rosky.

Overnight guests with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Funck last Friday were Mrs. Funck's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clingman, and their children, Beth Ann, Darrell, David, Becky and Bert Lynn. The Clingmans are from Ferndale, but are on their way to Mexico to do missionary work.

The "Jolly Ten" club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Norman Feldhauser on Wednesday night, with a red and white theme for Valentine day being theme for the evening. A white linen cloth, and red candles for the luncheon table and even the lunch was in the red and white theme. Bessie Feldhauser won the high prize for Bacco and Ruth Karrocker low prize. The club meets in two weeks with Mrs. Kate Hoffman.

Trooper Stanley Mathewson of the Bay City State Police Post spent the weekend with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Max Haslem at Sault Ste. Marie. They went to see "Silver Blades Revue" at the Puller Stadium a production of the Hiawatha Skating Club, sponsored by the Soo Lions Club. Jan Mathewson, a member of the Junior skating class was one of the cast. She and her parents the "Little Lambs" in the show.

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The Rev. and Mrs. Donald Healey were in Roscommon Tuesday of last week to attend a meeting of the Free Methodist ministers and their wives in the afternoon, and for laymen in the evening. Supper was served to them at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Edison Cummings of the Roscommon church.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Ashton of Saginaw spent the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gross, daughter Carole, and Grandmother Gross, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ashton. The Ashton's two-and-one-half year old son Dale had been a guest at the Gross home last week. He accompanied his parents home Sunday.

New spring hats and purses have just arrived at the Pink Lady. See them today.

Mr. and Mrs. Melroy of Saginaw spent the weekend enjoying Grayling winter sports. The Birthday Club met last Friday at the home of Mrs. Rolia Failing to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Clayton Bristol.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick and Mrs. Frank May and Debbie spent Sunday in Lansing, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor Papendick and son Michael. Mrs. Elroy Barber, who had spent last week with Victor and his wife, accompanied them back. They all stopped at Ashley enroute home to call on Gene's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Papendick.

The Q. C. Club met Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Gino Failing in Gaylord. Mrs. Gino's Roberts and Howard Bunker won the door prizes.

Mrs. David Smith of North Branch writes that her mother, Mrs. Ella Sammons, is still confined at the Rest Haven Convalescent Home. Their son Wesley Ardel Smith, was home recently for a weekend vacation from MSU at East Lansing.

Miss Kay Ellen Pettengill was home with her parents, the Dale Pettengills, for the weekend. Mrs. Pettengill, Mrs. Don Gottho and daughter Mary Ann drove Kay Ellen back to Lansing Sunday afternoon, and remained until Wednesday. Mrs. Pettengill with her daughter, and the Gotthos with a sister Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin and family.

Charles Moore and John Alef drove to Bay City, Feb. 10th to meet the former's sister, Mrs. Lee Mercer of Port Huron, who spent last week visiting the Moores. She left Sunday for Cheboygan to visit another sister, Mrs. Elyar, for a while.

At the housewarming for Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Overly (Yvonne LaGrow) at Allen Park Saturday night, about 40 friends and relatives were present. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Wm. LaGrow and Mrs. F. J. McClain, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClain and sons Gary and John of Grand Rapids were also present. A gift of lawn furniture

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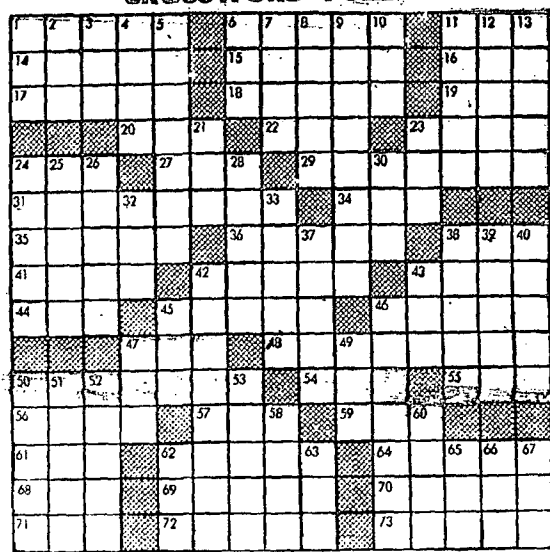
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CROSSWORD PUZZLE



PUZZLE No. 484

- ACROSS**
1. Puzzle
 2. Little battle
 3. Benevolent
 4. Turn aside
 5. Got up
 6. First woman
 7. Alma
 8. Found down
 9. Rodent
 10. Juice of plant
 11. Sign of the
 12. Response
 13. Footlike part
 14. Hawaiian
 15. Bird (pl.)
 16. Surprised in
 17. Mean
 18. Observe
 19. Approaches
 20. Burdened
 21. Japanese
 22. Makes lace
 23. Calumniate
 24. Land meas-
 25. ure (pl.)
 26. A direction
 27. in law
 28. Intervening
 29. Look at
 30. Reddy
 31. To trouble
 32. Meddled
 33. Warbled
 34. River of
 35. (abbr.)
 36. Editors
 37. (abbr.)
 38. Old Teutonic
- DOWN**
1. Male abcep
 2. Woman's
 3. name
 4. Shellfish
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 6. The utmost
 7. Narcotic
 8. Spoken
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 10. Jetties
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 13. "saw" can-
 14. Nautical
 15. coast
 16. Distributes
 17. Seed con-

Answer to Puzzle No. 483

In writing and under oath, to said Court, and to serve a copy thereof, upon Fred G. Caldwell of Roscommon, Michigan, fiduciary of said estate, and that such claims will be heard by said Court at the Probate Office on Monday, April 22, 1957, at 10:00 a. m.

It is Ordered, That notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche, and that the fiduciary cause a copy of this notice to be served upon each known party in interest at his last known address by certified mail, return receipt demanded, at least fourteen (14) days prior to such hearing, or by personal service at least five (5) days prior to such hearing.

Beulah Neafie
Judge of Probate

A true copy:
Beulah Neafie
Judge of Probate 21-28-7

Board of Review Notice

The Board of Review for the township of Grayling will be held in the Township Hall on March 5, 1957, and as many days thereafter as it takes to review the roll; and again on March 11, 1957, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

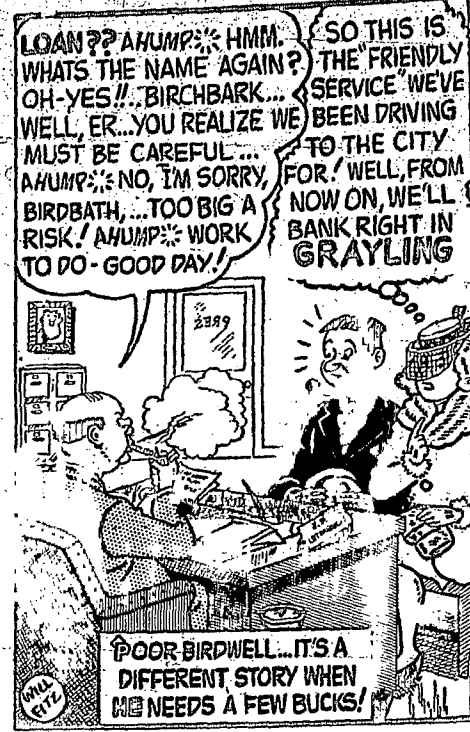
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LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 11th day of February 1957.
Present, Honorable Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of James A. Sherman, Deceased.
Charles E. Moore having filed in said Court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.
It is Ordered, That the 11th day of March 1957, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once in each week for three weeks consecutively previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford County Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.
Beulah Neafie
Judge of Probate

A true copy:
Beulah Neafie
Judge of Probate 14-21-28

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford
In the Matter of the Estate of Dec Elvy Williams aka D. E. Williams, Deceased.
At a session of said Court, held on January 14, 1957.
Present, Honorable Beulah Neafie, Judge of Probate.
All creditors of said decedent are required to present their claims

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THERE ARE TWO VACANCIES TO BE FILLED AT THIS SPRING ELECTION FOR CITY COUNCILMEN AND ONE VACANCY FOR CITY JUSTICE OF THE PEACE AND CITY CONSTABLE.

NOMINATING PETITIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AND HAVE TO BE FILED NO LATER THAN 12:00 NOON, MARCH 2nd, 1957.

DATED: FEBRUARY 8, 1957.

RUSSELL CARLSON
City Manager and City Clerk.
14-21-28

CHURCHES

BEAVER CREEK CHURCH OF GOD
William Ryan, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Church Services 11:00 A. M.
Sunday Eve. Services 6:30 P. M.
Youth Meeting, Tues. 7:30 P. M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 P. M.
Beaver Creek Town Hall
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Rev. Fr. Joseph Sakowicki
Regular Schedule
Sundays 8:00 - 10:30
Holidays - 6:00 - 8:00
Weekdays - 8:00
Special Schedule
Summer - First Sunday in July to first Sunday in September inclusive.
Sun. Masses - 7:00, 8:30, 10 & 11
Holidays - 6:00, 8:00, 9:00.
Weekdays - 7:30.
Deer Hunting Season
Sunday Masses - 5:30, 8:30, 10:30.
7:30 to 8:30.
Confessions
Saturdays - 4:00 to 5:00 and
Grayling, Phone 2891

MICHELSON MEMORIAL CHURCH
Pastor, Rev. R. C. Puffer
Church School 9:45 a. m.
Divine Worship 11:00 a. m.
Intermediate Youth Fellowship 6:00 p. m.
Senior Youth Fellowship 7:00 p. m.
Pastor's Bible Class - 7:30 p. m.
Wed. nite Bible Class - 7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF FREDERIC
John L. Weld, Pastor
Sunday - 9:45 Bible School
11:00 Morning Worship
7:00 Training Union
8:00 Evening Service
Wednesday - 8:00 Prayer and Bible Study

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Donald Healy
301 Shellenburg St.
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Worship Service 11:00 A. M.
Youth Fellowship 7:30 P. M.
Evening Service, 8:00 P. M.
Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7:30 P. M.

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Cotton Plum and Smith St.
Pastor Roy Newberry
Church School - 10:00 A. M.
Preaching - 11:00 A. M.
Mid-week service, Prayer 7:30 to 8:30.

GRAYLING LUTHERAN CHURCH
- Phone 2541
Worship service - 11 A. M.
Sunday School - 9:45 A. M.

MESSIAH LUTHERAN CHURCH
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Worship service - 9:30 A. M.
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Sunday School - 10:00 A. M.

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Rev. Alvin Johnson, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service 11:00 a. m.
Youth Fellowship 6:15 p. m.

Registration Notice

For Biennial Spring Election
April 1st, 1957

To the Qualified Electors of the Townships and the City of Grayling, Crawford County, State of Michigan

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the Michigan Election Law the undersigned township and city clerks will on any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said township or city not already registered who may apply personally to the clerk of the township or city in which said voter may reside, for such registration. Provided, however, that the clerk of said township or city can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the second Saturday before any regular special or primary election and the day of such election.

The last day of General Registration does not apply to persons who voted under the Absent Voters Law.

Notice is hereby given that the clerks of said townships and city will be at the usual place for registration.

On Monday, March 4th, 1957

THE LAST DAY

from 8:00 o'clock a. m. until 8:00 o'clock p. m. on each day for the purpose of reviewing the registration and registering such of the qualified electors in the said townships and city as shall properly apply thereto.

The name of no person except an actual resident of the precinct at the time of registration and entitled under the Constitution if remaining such resident to vote at the next election shall be entered in the registration book.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1957

DAN C. BABBITT, Clerk, Grayling Twp.
EUGENE KAISER, Clerk, Frederic Twp.
CARRIE BAYNHAM, Clerk, Maple Forest Twp.
JOHN LaMOTTE, Clerk, Beaver Creek Twp.
ALICE SCOTT, Clerk, South Branch Twp.
LOUISE HAEFKA, Clerk, Lovells Twp.
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Mid-Week Services
Prayer and Everybody's Bible Class, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

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Rev. Clara Olin
10:30 A. M. — Sunday School
11:30 A. M. — Chapel Service

"ASSEMBLY OF GOD"
Rev. Robert Kolenda, Pastor
Sunday services are held in the Grayling Grange Hall, 304 Spruce St.
Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Bible Study Services 7:30 P. M.

Christian Science Society
Bayley Twp., Hall, US-27
of Gaylord. Church and school services at 11:00 A. M. and 7:00 P. M., second Tuesday each month.

Seventh-Day Adventists
Meet at Camp
AuSable, 10:00 A. M., Sat.

ST. FRANCIS EPISCOPAL MISSION
Services at the Grayling Lutheran Church, 304 Spruce St.
Sundays
Holy Communion 10:00 A. M.
of the month.
The Rev. Sydney Ross, Pastor of All Saints, Houghton Lake

23 Years Ago

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ed their C. W. A. work at the school house.
Neil Carey Welsh was hostess to eight of her young friends at a dinner party at her home Wednesday evening. The occasion was her eighth birthday. The little guests included Jane Milnes, Betty Sparkes, Shirley Nelson, Roger Giegling, Robert Bennett, Sandy Thompson and Louis Kraus.
To the folks interested in Fredrick news, we've had but the one item to reprint ever since you asked about it. Soon as we find it we'll print it.

46 Years Ago — February 23, 1911

Abe Joseph came home last week, and intends to stay in the "only town on the map."
H. P. Olson came up Tuesday morning from Detroit, but had hardly time to shake hands all around as he had to return last night. He is always welcome here.
When they get to making paper out of corn, as it is now proposed, a man can make eye-openers out of his morning paper and get three sheets to the wind before breakfast.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Manney gave a party for their son Russell F. in celebration of his 9th birthday last month, to a host of his playmates.

Frederic Flashes — Jake Berlin made his last visit here Monday in the interest of the dry goods.

Grandma Flagg and son Elijah of East Jordan were here to attend the funeral of Irvin Batterson, aged 18 years.

Mrs. James Smith and family, Mrs. E. Haines and Miss Addie Ensign were in Grayling over Sunday.



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SUN LIFE, CANADA, REPORTS RECORD IN POLICY PAYMENTS

66 new insurance an all-time high; \$7 billion now in force; United States business up substantially.

Another all-time record in the sixty-two year United States history of the Sun Life Insurance Company of Canada, a new and increased dividend scale that will further reduce the cost of insurance to policyholders, have been announced by George W. Bourke, president, at the Company's annual meeting. Total new life insurance sold in 1956 amounted to \$854 million, largest amount ever sold by Sun Life and an increase of \$93 million over the preceding year. A substantial proportion of the new business originated in the United States, where the Sun Life is 37% of its insurance in force. Included in the 1956 figure was \$259 million of group insurance, or 30% of the total. Sun Life's insurance in force has now passed the \$7 billion mark, also a new high. Policyholders' dividends are again being increased, and in 1957 the Company will pay policy dividends amounting to \$31 million, more than in any previous year and \$2,700,000 more than the amount paid in 1956.

The Sun Life Report also reveals that \$137 million was paid to policyholders and beneficiaries during 1956, the largest amount ever distributed by the Company in one year. Of the total, \$94 million was paid to living policyholders and annuitants.

Mr. Bourke pointed out that during 1956, even though tighter credit conditions existed in the United States and Canada, the Sun Life Advanced some \$89 million in new mortgage loans in the two countries. Thus the Company provided another gain, a very substantial amount of money for construction of new homes and for expansion of various types of business enterprises. Sun Life's mortgage loan account now stands at \$440 million.

In his Report to the holders of the Company's two million policies and group certificates, Mr. Bourke expressed the belief that with the prospect of continued expansion, the volume of life insurance will continue to grow and that Sun Life's outlook for the future is an optimistic one.

"In the highly competitive atmosphere in which we operate," he said, "the Sun Life will continue to be responsive to public needs, and anxious at all times to improve the service we have to offer."

A copy of Sun Life's complete 1956 Annual Report, including the President's review of the year, is being sent to each policyholder. Further details may be obtained from — Ralph J. Williams, Jr., RFD No. 1, Houghton Lake, Mich.



ROYALTY ON ICE — The 20 young ladies who contested for the title of Miss Michigan Winter Queen of 1957 spent most of Sunday afternoon at Grayling Winter sports park ice throne giving photographers a field day. Seated on the dais is Miss Mary Lou Parkas, 18, Detroit-Wayne U. co-ed, who was chosen Miss Michigan Winter Queen, surrounded by her court of honor. (Photo Courtesy Bay City Times)

BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith, accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. James MacNeven, left Friday for Lansing where they picked up their granddaughter Sherrie Allen, before going on to spend several weeks in and around Florida.

Guests at the Sandy Osborne home down river were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Woodall and family, Mr. & Mrs. Mike Webley & family and Harley Kapanka, all of Detroit, who were here for the Winter Sports Carnival weekend and also to do some rabbit hunting.

Miss Patti McNeil and her brother Michael returned Wednesday of last week from Bay City, where they had attended the funeral of their grandfather, John J. McNeil, 78, died at his home following a heart attack on February 8, 1957. He was a retired New York Central engineer, having worked for the railroad 52 years, 30 of which were spent on the Bay City to Mackinaw City run. Funeral services were from the Staphis Funeral Home and St. Mary's church on Monday morning, February 11th. Burial was in Elm Lawn Cemetery, Bay City. Survivors include two sons, Howard McNeil of Essexville, and James of Elk Rapids, and two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Williamson of Essexville and Mrs. Clarence Dauer of Bay City.

Choose your loose diamond from our selection. We will mount it while you wait at Davis Jeweler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alef and son Jimmy were in Traverse City on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Burton McWilliams gave a birthday party Wednesday, February 13th, for her daughter Sheila, who was 7 years old. Seventeen of Sheila's classmates, all young ladies, enjoyed a winter roast in the "wreck" room fireplace, with ice cream and traditional birthday cake to top it off. Games provided entertainment also, amid Valentine decorations. Sheila is very pleased with the many lovely gifts she received.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rowland and family and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Engel and Johnny spent Sunday before last at Boyne City, smelt fishing with lots of smelt to bring home.

high, Mrs. Jonas Wirtanen. Two guests of the club were Mrs. Clarabell Wylie, who won consolation and the penny prize, and Mrs. Robert Tiffin. The club will meet Feb. 28th with Mrs. Jack Church.

We stock diamonds from \$37.50 to over one carat. Davis Jeweler. Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Henig entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph at the Hidden Valley Ski Club in Gaylord Thursday, to celebrate the latter's 11th wedding anniversary. The Henigs stayed over on Friday for another day's skiing, in which Bruce Nielson joined them Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill LaGrow, daughter Connie, and Mrs. F. J. McClain, Sr., spent the weekend in Detroit, on business and visiting friends and relatives. They attended a housewarming Saturday for Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Overly in Allen Park. Miss Connie visited her cousin, Miss Jackie LaGrow.

Weekend guests at the home of Col. and Mrs. Roy Sindinger were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Krieger, of Lansing. George Skinner of Pentwater spent the weekend with his family. Guests at the Skinners last Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Parker, of Pontiac.

Willard English enjoyed a visit during the Carnival weekend with his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips, of Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Karen Rasmussen spent the between-semester vacation here and at the Rasmussen's Traveler City home, returning to Western Michigan College at Kalamazoo Sunday before last.

Word comes from Dr. Wm. T. Shannon that he has returned to Grosse Pointe Woods, after spending some time in Monroe, Ga. He expects to be in Harper Hospital for a check-up, before coming here to "Shamrock Shanty" when the weather is warmer.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Clark, who were in Chicago, were Mrs. and Mr. Clark.

Mrs. John Smallwood Succumbs In Gladwin

Mrs. John Smallwood, aged 80 years, passed away at the home of her grandson, Robert Eply, in Gladwin, Mich., on February 6th, 1957.

Funeral services were held at the Hall Funeral Home in Gladwin on February 10. Burial was in the Gladwin cemetery.

Mr. Smallwood passed away the fall of 1954. The Smallwoods resided in Grayling from 1925 to 1931, at which time they moved to Beaver Creek Township, where they resided until the summer of 1954, when they left to live with their children.

Mrs. Smallwood leaves to mourn her passing two daughters, Mrs. Leota Farrow, of Farwell, Mrs. Zelpha Eply of Gladwin, and one son, Jack, of Flint. Six grandsons were pallbearers, James and John Small of Wyandotte, Thomas Small of Gladwin, William Eply of Gladwin, and Donald and Elmer Farrow of Farwell.

Clarence C. Small and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Niederer, Jr., drove to Gladwin to attend the funeral services.

National Guard Sergeant Now On Active Duty
Fort Riley, Kan. (AHTNC) — National Guard M/Sgt. Claude T. Halstead Jr., whose wife, Arlene, lives on Route 1, Grayling, was called to active duty Feb. 4 to attend a two-week course at the Non-Commissioned Officer Academy, Fort Riley, Kan.

After completing the academy's leadership and instruction course, Sergeant Halstead will return to his National Guard unit, Headquarters Detachment, Michigan National Guard.

The sergeant, whose father lives on Route 1, Farrand road, Clio, is a veteran of World War II.

Sgt. William Weiss Now In Washington

Fairchild Air Force Base, Wash. (AHTNC) — Army Sergeant First Class William L. Weiss, 23, son of Mrs. Luella Weiss, 406 Elm st., Grayling, Mich., is assigned to Headquarters Battery of the 10th Antiaircraft Artillery Missile Battalion at Fairchild Air Force Base, Wash.

Sergeant Weiss, an assistant operations sergeant, entered the Army in March 1953 and completed basic training at Fort

Campbell, Ky.
He is a 1951 graduate of Grayling High School and a former employee of the Michigan Fish & Game Department in Lansing.

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NOTICE Board of Review

THE CITY CHARTER IN SECTION 3 UNDER THE HEADING OF FINANCE STATES:

IN THE YEAR 1950 AND EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, THE BOARD OF REVIEW SHALL MEET FOR THE PURPOSE OF REVIEWING AND CORRECTING THE ASSESSMENT ROLL AT THE CITY HALL IN SAID CITY, ON TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 A. M. AND 4 P. M. AND SAID BOARD SHALL ALSO MEET ON THE SECOND MONDAY IN MARCH AT 9 A. M. AND SHALL CONTINUE IN SESSION THAT DAY AND THE DAY FOLLOWING BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9 A. M. AND 4 P. M. ON EACH OF THESE DAYS UNTIL THEIR WORK IS COMPLETE.

Russell Carlson

CITY CLERK

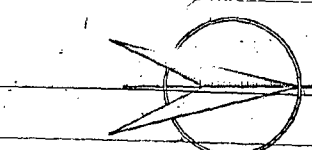
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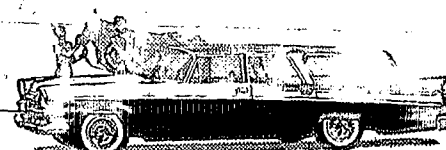
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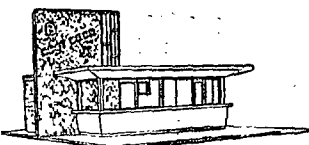
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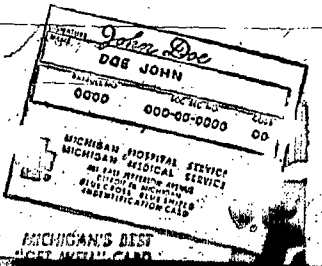
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Grayling Bowling League

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Feb. 12, 1957

1 Millikin Const.	12
2 Jim's Canoe Livery	16
3 Smiggins Diggins	14
4 Drewrys	13
5 Vita Boy	14
6 Baringer's	13
7 Spike's Keg	12
8 Uncle Al	11
9 Hull's Motel	11
10 Peterson Hdwe-Lbr	11
11 Bear Archery	11
12 Welsh Motor Sales	11
13 J. M. M.	11
14 Wharf's Dinner Bell	8
15 National Boh	7
16 Johnson Oil Co.	6

Team high series: Baringer's 2006, Millikin 2509, Drewrys 2506.
Team high single: Millikin 932, Baringer's 821, Vita Boy 873.
Ind. high series: Roper 548, Wing 568, Al Williams 568.
Ind. high single: Malonan 245, Gene Case 234, Smock 233.
High averages: Dietrick 175, Bilsby 173, Felling 168, Sorenson 167, Denton 166, Bivlia 166.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Feb. 14, 1957

1 Strohs	18
2 Carlings Black Label	17
3 Jansen's Plumbing	17
4 B-C-D	17
5 Wayside Inn	14
6 Pfeiffer's	14
7 Nelson Oil Co.	13
8 Goebel's "22"	13
9 Cadillac Overall	13
10 Don's Radio Shop	12
11 Stevenson-Brown	10
12 Black & White	10
13 Blatz	9
14 Wharf's Dinner Bell	9
15 Henderson's	7
16 Bear Archery	7

Team high series: Wayside Inn 2514, Pfeiffer's 2412, Blatz 2402.
Team high single: Blatz 924, Wayside Inn 878, Pfeiffer's 832.
Ind. high series: Payment 550, Quinn 534, Otto Peterson 526.
Ind. high single: Kaiser 216, Otto Peterson 210, C. Anthony 204.
High averages: Snyder 175, Bilsby 171, Denton 170, Dean 166, Sawyer 166.

RECREATION LEAGUE
Feb. 13, 1957

1 Marshalls Motel	55
2 Olsons	53 1/2
3 Speedway "79"	51
4 Bear Archery	49
5 M. Hope	48
6 Drewrys	47 1/2
7 Shoppenagons Inn	46 1/2
8 Fuel Gas	46
9 Wharf's Dinner Bell	41 1/2
10 Dingmans Tavern	40
11 Lozon's	39
12 Sal's Gals	37 1/2
13 Strohs	35 1/2
14 Grayling Merc.	33
15 Spike's Keg	29
16 Smiggins Diggins	19

Team high series: Speedway 783, Bear Archery 748, Marshalls 729.
Team high single: Speedway 2167, Bear Archery 2143, Strohs 2116.
Ind. high series: E. Burtch 216, E. Hoerl 190, E. Reichelderfer 187.
Ind. high single: E. Burtch 512, J. Hoffman 485, S. S. S. 477.

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE
Feb. 15, 1957

1 Alley Kats	59
2 Ten Pin Pals	55
3 Flax Bar	50
4 Black & White	50
5 Tip Top Togs	48 1/2
6 Wayside Inn	48
7 Sorenson's IGA	44 1/2
8 Peterson Hdwe.	43
9 Cornell Agency	42 1/2
10 Burns Hdwe.	41 1/2
11 Bear Archery	38
12 Carl's Beauty Shop	35
13 Forbes Motel	33
14 Morency's Cabins	32
15 Mac's Drugs	29
16 Chevroletettes	29

Ind. high series: K. Nave 513, C. Sorenson 507, M. LaMotte 495.
Ind. high single: C. Sorenson 200, K. Nave 192, J. Thompson 186.
Team high series: Ten Pin Pals 2296, Wayside-2109, Alley-Kats 2101.
Team high single: Ten Pin Pals 776-773, Cornell's 762.

Red Cross Ready

(Continued from Page 1)

said that Hotels, Motels, Schools, Churches, Restaurants, Hospitals, Grayling Sportsmen's Club and the Conservation Training School in Crawford County have been earmarked for shelter use.

"The Chapter also is prepared to follow through with post-emergency assistance," Davis stated. "Such assistance is given on the basis of need, not loss. It includes food and shelter, replacement of household furnishings, medical care, aid to small business, and repair and rebuilding of homes."

"All Red Cross assistance is given freely, no repayment is asked for nor expected," he emphasized.

Mr. Davis said in order to prevent needless suffering and waste of money which can result from a lack of disaster planning, the Red Cross in Crawford County has thought out well in advance what should be done when and if disaster strikes. To insure Red Cross procedures in time of disaster, the plan of the Crawford County Red Cross Disaster Committee provides for the division of responsibility between the Red Cross on one hand and state, city and federal governments on the other.

Mr. Davis said government responsibility includes warning, rescue and enforced evacuation; maintenance of law and order; public health, sanitation, traffic control, and protection of public property.

The Red Cross, he continued, gives assistance in rescue and voluntary evacuation. But its main duties are providing victims with food, shelter, clothing, and medical, nursing and hospital care. Its most important work comes during the post-emergency or rebuilding phase, when the organization helps down to the task of returning the disaster-stricken community to normal life.

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BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Stephan, daughter Kay Ann and son Richard, were in Kalamazoo, Mich., Saturday, February 9th. They were accompanied by Al's mother, Mrs. Ed Bowen, and all had dinner with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Vallad. The Vallads and Mrs. Bowen left Sunday for Kalamazoo, where they were to pick up Warren's mother, Mrs. Nina Vallad, on their way to St. Petersburg, Fla., for a 6 to 8 week stay.

Visitors for the Carnival week-end at the William Jensen home were son Don of Bath, and son Bob, wife Phyllis and little Billy Jensen of Detroit.

New spring hats and purses have just arrived at the Pink Lady. See them today.

Guests for the Carnival week-end at the Lee Hull home were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hull of Bay City and Joe's nephew, Joey Knobloch, also Mr. Hull's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Borders of Benton Harbor. From Monday night until last Thursday, Mrs. Hull visited with her grandparents in West Branch, and on Thursday evening both Mr. and Mrs. Hull were guests of the Roscommon Chapter of the O. E. S.

Sheldon Ackels of Bath, Mich., visited Miss Florence Anderson Friday a week ago.

Mrs. E. A. Mason and son Frederick of Farmington spent the weekend at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stensrud and children David and Dieder spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stensrud, in Hales.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Fowler returned last Thursday from Pontiac, where they had been since Monday visiting Mrs. Fowler's cousin, Mr. and Mrs. James Vallad. Little Jeff and Gail Fowler stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stensrud.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Thompson were in Lansing this week, he in connection with his work, and Mrs. Thompson to visit her mother, Mrs. Blanche Nelson. Mrs. Thompson returned Wednesday.

Guests at the Charles Finkler home Sunday, Feb. 10, were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alger Priest of Mancelona. Monday of last week the Finklers were in Aldea, helping on a new home for their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goen. The Finkler's son, James, of Brimley, stopped in for a visit enroute to Bay City last Thursday.

Bill Hall and Gary Gust returned Wednesday of last week from their ten-day stay in Aspen, Colorado. Gary and Bill were well tanned and unburned from days of skiing. They say the food was fine too, especially the onions. The boys stopped overnight in Detroit on their return to see Gary's uncle.

Mrs. Olie Williamson and Miss Kay Becker drove to Greenville Wednesday of last week, where they visited Mrs. Iida Skinner, an old friend, who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Bauer, Jr., and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant, of Saginaw, were in Grayling Saturday to visit friends and enjoy the winter sports.

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Johannes Rasmussen and Mrs. Marie Christoferson left Sunday for a two months stay in West Palm Beach, Florida.

Here to visit her daughter and family, the Frank Benns, for several days recently were Mrs. Milton Morehouse of Jackson, and her brother, Archie Rutan, of Hillsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Carlson, recently of Anchorage, Alaska, arrived Tuesday of last week to visit friends.

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TEENAGE REBEL

visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Carlson. They flew from Alaska to Seattle, Wash., Feb. 1st, and drove here from Seattle, taking six days to make the trip. Bruce received his discharge from the army as of midnight, February 14. They spent the weekend in St. Louis, Mich., visiting Mrs. Carlson's parents, the C. Houses.

Mrs. Howard Bunker entertained the six new student nurses from Mercy Hospital, Miss Wanda Cumminford, Susan Gosling, Rita Wojtkowiak, Carole LeClair, Mrs. Ennes Stensrud, in Hales, on a luncheon and cake Wednesday night of last week, the occasion being Miss Wanda Cumminford's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stephan spent the weekend in Lincoln Park, visiting Mrs. Stephan's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kroome.

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Coffee lb. 69c

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CHICKEN — TURKEY — BEEF
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BACON lb. 39c

FRESH
Ground Beef 3 lbs. \$1

Lamb Patties lb. 59c

Rib Steaks lb. 49c

Neck Bones lb. 10c

SPARE RIBS 39c lb.

Link Sausage lb. 49c

Veal Rolls lb. 49c

Pork Roasts lb. 49c

MEAT CENTER CUT
PORK CHOPS 69c lb.

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